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## **SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (IDS)**

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Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97, Applicant(s) hereby make of record the following additional documents. A PTO Form SB/42 and a full copy of each of the documents required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) accompany this statement.

Applicant(s) have become aware of the following documents, cited in 1) a European Search Report issued <u>June 7, 2010</u>, during the prosecution of European Application No. 10158487.8, 2) a European Search Report issued <u>June 18, 2010</u>, during the prosecution of European Application No. 10158499.3, and/or 3) a European Search Report issued <u>June 18, 2010</u>, during the prosecution of European Application No. 10158503.2, all of which correspond to the above referenced application, and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c) and (e)(1) or (b)(3), hereby submit(s) these documents for the Examiner's consideration. These documents are cited on the enclosed PTO Form SB/08, and copies of the European Search Reports and of each document required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) cited thereon are enclosed as well.

References AC, AD, and AE were not directly cited in any of the abovereferenced European Search Reports, but are U.S. family patent publications of Reference BD, a WO publication in the Japanese language with an English language abstract.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 (37 CFR 1.97(b)(4)). In the event that a first Office Action on the merits has been mailed, this IDS is being filed under 1.97(c)(1) and Applicant(s) certifies that each item of information contained in the IDS was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this IDS.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed. asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 65213(71117).

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